

## GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

1. OFFICIAL NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Date of SBE Approval of Grant Criteria 2/12/2008

2008--2009 Reading First  
(year) (year) (title)

Type: ☐ Initial ☐ Amendment ☒ Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Elementary and Secondary Education Act

☒ Federal Grant: CFDA Number 84.357A ☐ State Aid Grant: Section Number \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other (Private, Foundation)

2. SBE Priorities, Policies, and Programs that this Grant Supports (This information can be found on the SBE approved grant criteria form.):

Attain substantial and meaningful improvement in academic achievement for all students/children with primary emphasis on high priority schools and students.

3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:

To ensure that all of America's children learn to read well by the end of third grade.

Type of Grant Program: (check one)

- ☒ Competitive  
☐ Formula  
☐ Other: (specify below)

4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:

K-3 students, K-3 classroom teachers, and K-12 special education teachers.

5. Eligible Applicants:

Current Reading First recipients that met Adequate Yearly Progress for Reading First in the 2007 and 2008 school year.

6. Award Information:

Amendment Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Amendment Amount(s): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Recommended

Original Award Date: 7/1/08

Award to Date: \$13,098,894

Original Award Amount:

\$13,098,894

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

7. Program Office Responsible:

Office

Unit

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**8. OFFICE**Office Director Approval Signature: Petty UnderwoodDate: 8/04/08Phone: 13147

Comments:

**9. GRANTS OFFICE**Grants Office Approval Signature: Maylene ChantelDate: 8/11/08

Comments:

☐ Exhibit A Not Required☒ Exhibit B Not Required**10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT**Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: Sally VangelDate: 8-18-08

Comments:

**11. SUPERINTENDENT**Superintendent Approval Signature: MikeDate: 8-18-08

Comments:

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- A. Complete items 1-8 on this form. The Grants Administration and Coordination Unit will facilitate completion of items 9-11.
- B. Attach three (3) sets of Exhibits A and B (one original and 2 copies). Do not staple the pink form nor the originals of Exhibits A and B.
- Exhibit A—List of applicants (alphabetical order) recommended for funding, the amount requested and the amount Recommended to be funded.
- Exhibit B—List of applicants (alphabetical order) not recommended for funding and the amount each requested.
- C. Attach the grant award letters for the Superintendent's signature and the non-award letters for the Service Area Director's signature. The letters should be submitted in the same order given in Exhibit A and/or B. For each final Grant Award Notification letter, a Grant Award Notification form (yellow sheet) also needs to be submitted for the Superintendent's signature.
- D. Transmit Grant Award Approval Form (pink), attachments, and letters to the Grants Administration and Coordination Unit.

**Note:** This process takes, on average, two weeks from the time the packet with the Office Director's signature on it is delivered to the Grants Office, until the time the fully signed packet is routed to the person administering the grant program. This time varies depending upon the number of corrections that are necessary and the availability of all of the signers. It can take longer particularly around holiday times when the signers may be out of the office. Proofread and plan accordingly.

**Exhibit A  
Reading First  
2008-2009 Grants**

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Amount Recommended</b>
Benton Harbor Area Schools	\$380,862
Cesar Chavez Academy	\$92,215
Dearborn City School District	\$1,357,849
Detroit City Schools	\$4,060,657
Grand Rapids Public Schools	\$664,694
Hale Area Schools	\$95,679
Holland City School District	\$435,190
Kalamazoo Public School District	\$149,294
Kalkaska Public Schools	\$181,208
Lansing Public School District	\$412,913
Mesick Consolidated Schools	\$94,220
Mio-AuSable Schools	\$165,465
Muskegon City School District	\$844,480
Muskegon Heights School District	\$88,203
Oak Park City School District	\$229,770
Owosso Public Schools	\$112,558
Pontiac City School District	\$827,689
Port Huron Area School District	\$699,321
Romulus Community Schools	\$630,046
Saginaw City School District	\$555,174
School District of Ypsilanti	\$331,892
Utica Community Schools	\$255,817
Vanderbilt Area Schools	\$70,169
Wayne-Westland Community School	\$601,267
Wyoming Public Schools	\$118,588
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$13,098,894</b>